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Appl. No. : 10/081,478 Confirmation No. 4351
Applicant : Ricci et al
Filed : February 25, 2002
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Examiner : Javier G. Blanco
Docket No. : 1065.36
Customer No.: 27353

For: Microstructured Dual Sided Membrane for Tissue Growth and Regeneration

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 CFR §1.116 and §1.114

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated March 23, 2007, Applicants submit this amendment, together with Request for Continued Examination and three Terminal Disclaimers. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees for RCE and the Terminal Disclaimers in amount of \$590 to Deposit Account 502,557 and any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Further submitted is a Petition to extend the time for response (the fee for extension of time is stated in PTO/SB/22, separate from the above-described fees). Kindly enter the amendment.

Amendment to the Specification: none

Amendment to the Claims: begins on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Drawings: none

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this paper.

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION

I hereby certify that, on the date shown below, this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the Commissioner for Patents, at Fax No. (571) 273-8300.

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Signature Liz Dana Date AUGUST 23, 2007